

The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D. C. 20505

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Dear John,

My special thanks for your exceptionally fine work in preparing the Lilian Whitteker painting for presentation to the White House.

I am especially grateful for your prompt and cheerful completion of this work.

This effort, together with your helpful assistance in providing Combat Art for my office at the Old Executive Office Building, is ample testimony to your pride and professionalism.

Yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Stansfield Turner", with a stylized, flowing script.

STANSFIELD TURNER

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